Mail - In Application Instructions

Hunters can apply for a hunt by completing one of the applications attached to these instructions. All applications, for each respective hunt, must be completed properly and entirely to be eligible for the drawing. Follow the instructions carefully. No exceptions will be made. However, you may use a single application to apply for any or all of the Pheasant, Upland Game, Dove and/or Military/Refuge Deer hunts as well as the Wild Turkey and/or State Park Deer Reduction Hunts.

- 1. Print your last name, first name and middle initial in the spaces provided.
- 2. Print your complete mailing address along with your city, state and zip code in the correct spaces.
- 3. Print the number from your current Indiana hunting, hunting and fishing, lifetime or youth hunting license in the space provided. This number is required. Below the license number, select the type of license by marking the box to the left of the types of licenses.
- 4. Select the appropriate choices for each hunt. If more than one option is marked, except where exceptions are indicated, the card will be disqualified.

Pheasant - Mark only one (1) hunt or youth hunt

Goose Pond Upland Game Hunt - Mark only one (1) hunt.

Dove Hunt - Mark only one (1) property

Military/Refuge Deer Hunt - Indicate first and second choice for hunt of choice. May indicate first and second choice for one or both hunts. Please supply driver's license number (unless you don't have one) as well as your date of birth.

State Park Deer Reduction Hunts - Mark only (one) property per corresponding hunt date.

Wild Turkey Hunt - Mark only one (1) property/date combination. Applications are only accepted between January 1 - March 2, 2007

5. Affix one First Class U.S. Postage Stamp to an envelope and mail to IDNR Reserved Hunts; 402 W. Washington St. W160A; Indianapolis, IN 46204.

The application for each hunt must be received at IDNR Customer Service Center by the due date to be eligible for the drawing. Late applications and/or incorrectly filled out applications will be disqualified. If more than one application is received for the same hunter, all applications for that hunter will be disqualified.

No faxed or over-the-phone applications will be accepted. Overnight mailed applications are acceptable, but must be received at the Customer Service Center by the due date, not merely postmarked. Walk-in applications will also be accepted at the Customer Service Center until the close of business (4:30 p.m.) on the due date.

The DNR Customer Service Center is located in the Indiana Government Center South, 402 W. Washington St. W160, Indianapolis. Service Center hours are 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

If you have any questions regarding the application process, contact the IDNR Customer Service Center at (317) 232-4080.

Miss a deadline on a mail-in hunt application?

The deadline for receiving online hunt registrations is later than the deadline for receiving mail-in hunt applications. If you have missed the mail-in deadline for the hunt of your choice, just go online to www.indianaoutdoor.IN.gov and register for the hunts of your choice. If you miss the mail-in deadline for the hunt of your choice, just go online and register before the online deadline.

MAIL-IN DEADLINE

ONLINE DEADLINE

The deadlines for each hunt are as follows:

HUNT

DNR Property Dove Hunts	July 28, 2006	August 4, 2006
Military/Refuge Deer Hunt	August 18, 2006	August 25, 2006
State Park Deer Reduction Hunt	August 18, 2006	August 25, 2006
Goose Pond Upland Game Hunt	September 15, 2006	September 30, 2006
Pheasant Hunt	September 22, 2006	October 6, 2006
Wild Turkey Hunt (available Jan. 1, 20	007) March 2, 2007	March 16, 2007

Reserved Wild Turkey Hunt Random Drawings

Deadline: March 2, 2007

The DNR will offer reserved turkey hunting dates on 16 DNR properties, one military and two National Wildlife Refuge areas for the 2007 spring turkey season. The turkey hunt registration application will only be accepted between January 1 through March 16, 2007. Read and follow the directions carefully to complete the card. All applicants will be notified of the results by mail.

Special Notes

Hunter Education certification is required to hunt at Camp Atterbury Military Maneuver Training Center.

The Muscatatuck National Wildlife Refuge will be open to special permit turkey hunting for 13 days during the 2007 regular spring turkey season. Ten permits per day will be issued for the refuge hunting area. Hunting will be permitted on weekdays from 1/2 hour before sunrise to 12 noon. Successful hunters are required to check their turkeys at the refuge office. Hunters selected in the random drawing will be randomly assigned only one day. There is no choice of hunting dates. Only selected individuals will be permitted to hunt on most properties. Selected hunters will not be allowed to bring a partner. However, hunters drawn to hunt Big Oaks National Wildlife Refuge will still be required to bring a partner to hunt.

Selected hunters must be checked in at the property check station by 4:30 a.m. each morning of their hunt except at Muscatatuck where no check-in is required. Hunting spots that are not claimed by 4:30 a.m. will be filled with stand-by hunters. Roush Lake, Fairbanks Landing and Hillenbrand Fish and Wildlife areas, Mississinewa and Salamonie reservoirs will not conduct no–show drawings.

Reservation hunts are nontransferable, except when a selected hunter on DNR properties wishes to transfer his/her reservation to a hunter 16 years old or younger and takes that hunter hunting on the reserved days. If the selected hunter harvests a turkey prior to his/her reserved hunt, or on one of his/her reserved hunt dates, the selected hunter forfeits the remainder of the reserved hunt dates.

The turkey hunt application must be received by the close of business at the Customer Service Center by March 2, 2007 to be eligible for the drawing. Late applications and/or incorrectly filled out applications will be disqualified. If more than one application is received for the same hunter, all cards for that hunter will be disqualified.

Reserved Pheasant Hunt Registration

Deadline: September 22, 2006

The Division of Fish and Wildlife offers reserved hunts by random drawing on Game Bird Habitat Areas in northern Indiana. Follow the directions carefully to complete the application. All applicants will be notified of the results by mail. The application deadline is September 22, 2006.

Game Bird Habitat Areas are managed specifically for ring-necked pheasant. Since 1986, hunters have harvested over 10,150 pheasants on the managed areas. This year, tracts in Jasper, Benton, Newton and White counties will be open for hunting. The dates for the special hunts are: November 10, 11, 15, 18, 22, December 2, 9, 16 and 23.

Hunters can apply for the reserved Game Bird Habitat hunts by completing the 2006 Special Pheasant Hunt application. This application must be completed properly and entirely to be eligible for the drawing. Follow the instructions carefully. No exceptions will be made.

All applicants must fill out an application. Any and all other types of applications will be disqualified. However, you may fill out and return the Military/Refuge Deer Hunt and the DNR Property Dove Hunt applications at the same time as the Reserved Pheasant Hunt application.

The pheasant hunt application must be received by the close of business at the Customer Service Center by September 22, 2006 to be eligible for the drawing. Late applications and/or incorrectly filled out applications will be disqualified. If more than one application is received for the same hunter, all cards for that hunter will be disqualified. Successful applicants may bring up to two hunting partners.

Pheasant Youth Hunt

For the thirteenth year, a one-day hunt, November 24, has been reserved for youth hunters under the age of 18. The State of Indiana requires anyone born after 1986 to successfully complete a hunter education program in order to purchase a hunting license.

To apply, complete the application and mark the Youth Hunt box for November 24, 2006. Date of birth is also required. Youth hunters applying for the youth hunt date may not apply for regular hunt dates.

Successfully drawn youth hunters must be accompanied by an adult and may invite one other hunting companion.

Upland Game/Migratory Gamebird Hunts at Goose Pond FWA

Deadline: September 15, 2006

The Department of Natural Resources will offer two-day (Friday and Saturday) upland game hunts at Goose Pond Fish and Wildlife Area. Follow the directions carefully to complete the application. All applicants will be notified of the results by mail. The application deadline is September 15, 2006.

Selected hunters may hunt rabbits, quail, woodcock and snipe when in season. Hunting hours are from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. only and non-toxic shot is required. The daily bag limit for quail is four birds. A selected hunter may bring one hunting partner.

DNR Property Dove Hunt Reservation Drawing

Deadline: July 28, 2006

The Department of Natural Resources offers reserved mourning dove hunts by random drawing on eleven properties. Follow the directions carefully to complete the application. All applicants will be notified of the results by mail. **The application** deadline is July 28, 2006.

The reserved hunts will take place the first two days of mourning dove season. Migratory game bird seasons, such as mourning dove, are subject to the approval of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and will not be set until late summer, but traditionally have started Sept. 1.

The participating properties have managed hunting fields planted with sunflower, millet and/or wheat to provide habitat for doves. Kankakee and Pigeon River requires non-toxic shot for all dove hunters.

Hunters can apply for the reserved dove hunts by completing the 2006 Reserved Dove Hunt Application. This application must be completed properly and entirely to be eligible for the drawing. Follow the instructions carefully. No exceptions will be made. You may fill out and return the Military/Refuge Deer Hunt and the Reserved Pheasant Hunt applications at the same time as the DNR Property Dove Hunt application.

The dove hunt application must be received by the close of business at IDNR Customer Service Center by July 28, 2006 to be eligible for the drawing. Late applications and/or incorrectly filled out applications will be disqualified. If more than one application is received for the same hunter, all applications for that hunter will be disqualified.

Hunters will be selected through a random drawing.

Hunters who are selected for the reserved dove hunt may bring one hunting partner. Selected hunters and their hunting partners must claim their reservation prior to 11 a.m. the day of the hunt. Hunting spots on Fish and Wildlife areas and Reservoirs that are not claimed will be filled with stand-by hunters.

During the rest of dove hunting season, participating properties will have drawings each day at 11 a.m. to allocate hunting sites in managed fields. To participate in these drawings, arrive at the property by 10:30 a.m. Some DNR properties also have open hunting available.

2006 Indiana State Park Deer Reduction Hunts

Deadline: August 18, 2006

Deer herd reductions are required periodically at state parks to maintain a deer herd that is compatible with the ecosystem of each state park.

Applications will be available July 1, 2006, for a controlled deer herd reduction at 17 state parks and one nature preserve. Reductions will take place on November 13-14 and December 4-5. Hunters will be selected using a random drawing. Deer taken in these hunts are in addition to all other bag limits. You may bring up to two (2) buddies for this hunt. You must enter their information on this application. To be eligible for this hunt, you must be an Indiana resident, 18 years of age by November 13, 2006 and possess an Indiana license to take deer. Each person may apply only once for each state park deer reduction event. Parks where firearms are used will draw first from the pool of hunters who have a valid Hunter Education Certificate. Parks designated for archery REQUIRE an international Bowhunter or Hunter Education Certificate to apply.

In order to apply for an Indiana State Park Deer Reduction Hunt, fill out the application and provide all the information required. Mail your completed application to IDNR Reserve Hunts; 402 W. Washington St. W160A; Indianapolis, IN 46204. If you claim the hunter education preference and are drawn, you will be required to present your hunter education card at the property on the day of the hunt. All applicants will be notified of the results by mail.

No faxed or over-the-phone applications will be accepted. Overnight mailed applications are acceptable, but must be received by the close of business at the Customer Service Center by August 18, 2006, not merely postmarked. Walk-in applications will also be accepted at the Customer Service Center until the close of business on August 18, 2006.

Firearms Locations

- Brown County State Park
- Chain O' Lakes State Park
- Charlestown State Park
- Harmonie State Park
- Indiana Dunes State Park
- Lincoln State Park

- Ouabache State Park
- Pokagon State Park
- Potato Creek State Park
- Shades State Park
- Summit Lake State Park
- Tippecanoe River State Park
- Turkey Run State Park
- Versailles State Park
- Whitewater Memorial State Park
- Twin Swamps Nature Preserve

Archery Locations

- Clifty Falls State Park
- Fort Harrison State Park

Military/Refuge Deer Hunt

Mail-In Application must be received by: August 18, 2006

Bonus military/refuge hunts are offered for firearms hunters and archers on the following areas. Bonus antlerless deer licenses cannot be used for military/refuge hunts. Note age restrictions.

- Muscatatuck National Wildlife Refuge
- Camp Atterbury Joint Maneuver Training Center (minimum age of 16 years old unless accompanied by a parent) Hunter education certification and two pieces of hunter orange are required.
- Naval Support Activity, Crane (minimum age of 18 years old or 14 years old if accompanied by a parent or legal guardian)
- Big Oaks National Wildlife Refuge

Hunters can apply for the military/refuge hunts by completing the 2006 Military/Refuge Deer Hunt application. This application must be completed properly and entirely to be eligible for the drawing. The application contains blanks for first and second choices for a firearms military/refuge hunt and an archery military/refuge hunt. If you wish to apply for both hunts, you must apply for both on one application. You may submit only one military/refuge application. However, you may fill out and return the DNR Property Dove Hunt, the Reserved Pheasant Hunt and the Goose Pond Upland Game/Migratory Gamebird applications at the same time as the Military/Refuge Deer Hunt application.

The application must be received by the close of business at the Customer Service Center on August 18, 2006 to be eligible for the military/refuge drawing. Late applications and/or incorrectly filled out application cards will be disqualified. If more than one application is received for the same hunter, all cards for that hunter will be disqualified.

Hunters will be selected through a random drawing. All applicants will be notified of the results by mail in late September. Information regarding the success in the drawing will not be available or given out until after Oct. 1. If you have any questions about the hunts, call the Deer Hotline at (812) 334-3795 from 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. This is not a toll-free call.

Special Notes

Big Oaks Youth Hunt

A youth hunt will be held at Big Oaks National Wildlife Refuge. Contact the refuge at (812) 273-0783 for information. Visit the Big Oaks website at www.fws.gov/midwest/bigoaks/ for information about all Big Oaks hunts.

Newport

There will be no public hunt on this area during the 2006 season.

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Both muzzleloader and archery hunts occur on the same day. The muzzleloader hunt must be placed as a firearms choice on the application. Handguns are not allowed. Hunters are encouraged to take a hunter education course before hunting on the refuge. Optional orientation programs are held at the refuge on dates to be announced. For more information, call the refuge at (812) 522-4352.

NSA, Crane

Only one deer per person per hunt day may be taken with a firearm at Crane. There will be no archery hunt.

Military areas

Any deer hunt may be cancelled or rescheduled upon short notice. No hunt fee refunds will be given if a hunt is cancelled or rescheduled. Handguns are not permitted on any military area.

Partner System

The drawing will not select partners. Every hunter selected through the drawing may choose any person as a partner to hunt with him/her on any Military/Refuge hunt. Selected hunters will have the option of hunting with or without a partner on all areas that do not specifically require a partner. As in the past, Crane and Big Oaks National Wildlife Refuge require that you bring a partner.

The hunter selected in the drawing will be provided with two forms for admission to the hunt (Notification I) and two license request certificates (Notification II). While each individual can only submit one hunt drawing application, each individual can participate in multiple hunts if chosen as a partner in addition to being selected in the drawing. However, on any one hunt day, an individual cannot be both a partner and a selected hunter or be a partner with more than one selected hunter.

There is no limit on how many times a hunter can participate as a partner. A hunter chosen as a partner by more than one person can use the partner license request certificate from each selected hunter to obtain multiple licenses. A partner can take one deer for each license provided, but may not exceed the daily bag limit for the hunt area.

Codes for Military/Refuge Deer Hunt Application

Firearms choices

- F3 Camp Atterbury Joint Maneuver Training Center
- F4 Big Oaks National Wildlife Refuge (partner required)
- F5 Naval Support Activity, Crane (partner required)
- M7 Muscatatuck National Wildlife Refuge, muzzleloading long gun only (muzzleloader license required)

Archery choices

- A4 Big Oaks National Wildlife Refuge (partner required)
- A7 Muscatatuck National Wildlife Refuge (no crossbows, except with a person with a disability special hunting permit)

Indiana Department of Natural Resources State Form 52672 (05-06)

Pheasant, Dove, Goose Pond Upland Game and Migratory Gamebird and Military/Refuge Deer Hunt Applications

Please fill in your name and address below as well as the required information for the hunt (s) of your choice. You may use this application to apply for one, two or all three hunts together. However, applications will not be accepted before July 1, 2006. Mail your completed application to IDNR Reserved Hunts; 402 W. Washington St. W160A; Indianapolis, IN 46204.

Address	Address				
City	State Zip				
Pheasant Hunt Application	Due: September 22, 2006				
INFORMATION REQUIRED	Select only <u>ONE</u> date:				
Current Indiana Hunting License Number and type: License Number: Hunting Hunt/Fish Lifetime Comp. Hunt South Consolidated Others	Regular Hunt Youth hunt* Nov. 10, 2006 Nov. 15, 2006 Nov. 15, 2006 Dec. 22, 2006 Dec. 23, 2006 Dec. 16, 2006 Regular Hunt Youth hunt* Nov. 24, 2006 * Only hunters younger than 18 years of age may apply for the youth hunt. A youth hunter applying for the youth hunt may not apply for a regular hunt. Select only ONE hunt.				
Goose Pond Upland Game/Migra	atory Gamebird Hunt Due: September 15, 2006				
INFORMATION REQUIRED Current Indiana Hunting License Number and type: License Number:	Select <u>ONE</u> only hunt.				
□ Hunting □ Hunt/Fish □ Lifetime Comp. Hunt □ Lifetime Comp. Hunt/Fish □ Youth Consolidated □ Others	□ Nov. 10, 11 □ Nov. 24, 25 □ Dec. 8, 9 □ Dec. 22, 23 □ Jan. 5, 6				
Reserved Dove Hunt Application	Due: July 28, 2006				
INFORMATION REQUIRED Current Indiana Hunting License Number and type:	Select ONE property where you wish to hunt.				
License Number: Hunting	□ Roush Lake □ Mississinewa Reservoir □ Willow Slough FWA □ Jasper-Pulaski FWA □ Kingsbury FWA □ Pigeon River FWA □ Winamac FWA □ Hardy Lake FWA □ Salamonie Reservoir □ Kankake: FWA □ LaSalle FWA				
Military/Refuge Deer Hunt Applic	cation Due: August 18, 2006				
Driver's License No. (unless you are without one) Date of Birmonth day INFORMATION REQUIRED	year Code No. Code No. First First				
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Indiana Department of Natural Resources State Form 52673 (05-06)

State Park Deer Reduction and Wild Turkey Applications

Please fill in your name and address below as well as the required information for the hunt (s) of your choice. Only Indiana residents with a valid Indiana License to take deer may apply for the Indiana State Park Deer Reduction Hunts. State Park Deer Reduction Hunt applications will not be accepted before July 1, 2006. Wild Turkey applications will only be accepted between January 1 - March 2, 2007. Mail your completed application to IDNR Reserved Hunts; 402 W. Washington St. W160A; Indianapolis, IN 46204.

Last Name		First Name	Initial	State Park Deer Hunts only			
				Lifetime, Deer or Youth License No.			
Address							
				If you have a lifetime license, please indicate type:			
City		State Zip	Yes No	Comprehensive Hunt Comprehensive Hunt/Fish			
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Fort Harr	ison SP (Archery Only	,	Fort Harrison SP (Archery Only)				
	Harmonie S Indiana Dunes S		Harmonie SP Indiana Dunes SP				
	Lincoln S		Lincoln SP				
	Ouabache S		Ouabache SP				
You may bring up to two (2) buddies for the State Park Deer Reduction Hunts. Please enter their information below.							
	Last Name	First Name	Initial	Lifetime, Deer or Youth License No.			
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>	Address						
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BUDDY	,			Comprehensive Hunt/Fish			
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Indiana Wild Turkey Application Due: January 1 - March 2, 2007							
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	y Lake FWA		Roush Lake	☐ May 12, 13			
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